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(MISSILE INFORMATION)

SEN. STUART SYMINGTON TOLD THE SENATE TODAY THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT HAS MADE PUBLIC INFORMATION ON SOVIET MISSILE MIGHT WHICH IS "THE MOST DETAILED THAT I HAVE EVER SEEN."

AT THE SAME TIME, THE MISSOURI DEMOCRAT SAID, THE PENTAGON HAS SUPPRESSED "FOR PUBLIC RELATIONS REASONS ONLY" CERTAIN TESTIMONY GIVEN RECENTLY BEFORE A SENATE COMMITTEE.

TO DEFENSE SECRETARY MC NAMARA, WHO RECENTLY JOINED MEMBERS OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE IN CRITICIZING DISSEMINATION OF TOO MUCH DEFENSE DATA, SYMINGTON SUGGESTED THAT HE "TAKE A FURTHER LOOK AT HIS OWN SHOP."

HE SAID THE INFORMATION OF SOVIET MISSILE BASES AND MISSILE STOCKPILES IS "CONTRARY TO THAT PRESENTED THE SENATE BY CIA (CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY) IN CLASSIFIED BRIEFINGS."

IN A SHORT SENATE SPEECH SYMINGTON REFERRED TO PRESS REPORTS BASED ON THE MAY ISSUE OF "MILITARY REVIEW". THE MAGAZINE PUBLISHED BY THE ARMY'S COMMAND AND GENERAL STAFF COLLEGE AND FORT LEAVENWORTH, KANS. THE ARTICLE REPORTED THE SITES OF 37 RUSSIAN MISSILE PADS AND 14 MISSILE FACTORIES AND GAVE DATA ON SOVIET MISSILE PRODUCTION.

"IF THE INFORMATION IN THIS ARTICLE IS CORRECT, THEN INFORMATION GIVEN THE SENATE BY THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY IS INCORRECT," SYMINGTON SAID.

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